THE DOTHAN EAGLE

Dothan's Population: 1890, 247; 1900, 3,275; 1910, 7,016; 1920, 20,000--"For I heard them say, Let us go to Dothan."

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Police Chief Killed at Baton Rouge, La.

WAS ACTING AS PEACEMAKER WHEN SHOT BY A SUSPENDED PATROLMAN.

Baton Rouge, La., Nov. 15.--Captain J. B. Hare, for thirty years Chief o fthe city Police Force was shot and instantly killed tonight by Henry Gillingham, an officer under suspension. Gillingham was carried to the hospital desperately wounded by Assistant Chief Huyck and Special Officer Charles Bauer.

The killing was a sequal to the suspension of Gillingham on charges of intoxication. Assistant Chief Huyck relieved him of his badge but did not take his revolver, as it was Gillingham's personal property. Gillingham and the Assistant Chief then quarreled, when Gillingham it is said, threatened to kill his superior officer if an arrest was attempted.

Chief Hare, when informed of the trouble, hurried to his office and was joined by Assistant Chief Huyck and Officer Bauer. The three intercepted Gillingham on a side street, the Chief ordering him to surrender his revolver. Gillingham answered by firing five shots the first bullet piercing Chief Hare's brain and killing him instantly. Huyck and Bauer then opened fire three bullets lodging in Gillingham's body. Gillingham may recover.

Mrs. Gillingham hurried to the hospital and the details of the tragedy were related by here husband.

"I pray to God he doesn't get well" she exclaimed, "for if he does, I know they will hang him."

HOKE SMITH RESIGNS AS GOV. OF GEORGIA.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 14.--Governor Hoke Smith, recently elected United States Senator from Georgia, will for mally tender his resignation as chief executive of this state today. The official action of relinquishing the office will not take place until late this afternoon, in order to give the Governor an opportunity of winding up his business. John M. Slaton, of the State Senate, will serve as acting Governor until Gov. Smith's successor is chosen in a special election.

CARPENTER FALLS FROM ROOF

A carpenter named Snell fell from a two-story house in Westover yesterday and was slightly injured. Mr. Snell fell from the roof of the second story, but his fall was broken when he struck a part of the scaffold around the building and he was only slightly hurt on the arm.

CAN HAIR TURN WHITE IN A NIGHT

A cherished popular belief is that of the sudden blanching of the hair from fright, worry or other severe mental strain. It plays its part in the drama and in fiction, while history records its famous instances. Who has not heard that Marie Antoinette's hair turned white during the night before her execution, or that the deeds and terrors of St Barthlomew's night blanched the hair of Henry the Fourth? Most of us have wondered how the change could come about as rapidly as tradition relates; and yet so universal is the belief in this phenomenon that few have the hardihood to doubt it. And now Stieda, a hard-headed German scientist, boldly says that it isn't so at all. This refractory German first proves that such a thing couldn't possibly happen, and then, not satisfied, declares that it never did happen. With equal disregard of folk lore, history and medical literature, he points the finer of doubt, and challenges many long-deceased historians and physicians to arise and prove their stories.

He claims that when the hair turns white under ordinary conditions it does so in one of two ways. Either the pigmented hairs fall out and are replaced by unpigmented hairs, or, less commonly, pigment-production stops in a growing hair and the colorless portion gradually replaces the darker outer segment. As the growing of a new crop of hair in a single night is beyond the possibilities of even the Seven Southerland Sisters, Stieda must needs discredit all tales of such marvelous transformation, says the Journal of the American Medical Association. This he does in extenso, taking up the best-known instances of such supposed blanching of hair, and finding them all lacking in support sufficient to meet critical consideration, much less control as to establish an acceptable scientific demonstration. For example, he doubts the story of Marie Antoinette's sudden loss of hair pigment, stating that although the queen certainly was gray at the time of her execution, yet this was no novelty for she was also gray nine month before, at the time the king met his sudden end at the hands of the revolutionists.

As for the rest of the reputed cases, many are nothing better than old-wives' tales, while others are examples of credulity substituted for healthy skepticism and careful investigation. The explanation for many is naked, being simply that the keeper of the jail or dungeon in which the unhappy heroine or hero was confined neglected to furnish his guest's dressing-table with the hair dye to which the latter had been accustomed at home, and that nature asserted herself before release or execution. Verily the iconoclast respects nothing--not even the gray hairs of royalty.

DON'T NEED EXTRA SESSION TO IMPEACH

BRINDLEY TELLS HOW IMPEACHMENT PROCEEDINS COULD BE CONDUCTED

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 13.--"The legislature can institute impeachment proceedings against a governor without a regular session or a session called by the executive," said A. H. Brindley, representative from Etowah county, house leader of the prohibitionists, who was in Birmingham Tuesday and attended the Bowman meeting at the Jefferson theatre.

"The constitution provides that a majority of the members of the lower house can call that body together for the purpose of drawing up articles of impeachment, if in their wisdom, such a course is justified by charges based upon facts warranting the impeachment of such a high official.

"The house sits in much the same manner as a grand jury, and may compel the attendance of witnesses in the state and take their testimony. If articles of impeachment are deemed warranted, the senate then sits as a court, the chief justice of the supreme court presiding, and the case is tried in much the same manner as is the practice in other courts. In event of the impeachment of the governor, the lieutenant governor takes his place."

As Walter D. Seed, the present lieutenant governor is a state wide prohit of the most uncompromising type, in event of an impeachment under the present administration, the entire policy of the state with reference to the sale of liquor might possibly be reversed.

SUIT AGAINST AUTO COMPANY

The suit of G. B. Baker vs. the Carter-Logan Brothers for breach of contract, was tried in the circuit court today and was given to the jury this afternoon. Baker asks $1,120 for the failure of the company to comply with a contract made by them and in which he claims to have lost a considerable amount of money by their failure to do so. He claims that three automobiles ordered from them were not delivered as per contract, causing him a loss of several hundred dollars. Several out of town people were here as witnesses.

NEED ANOTHER WAR STATES MINISTER

NEW YORK PREACHER TELLS LEAGUE NORTH OUGHT TO GO SOUTH

New York, Nov. 13.--Four hundred persons, for the most part ministers, met in Tuesday in a mass meeting of protest against lynching, held under the auspices of the National Association for the advancement of Colored People, at which $400 was pledged toward a fund of $1,000 to pay the expenses of an investigation of the lynching problem in the south. Oswald Garrison Villar presided.

The Rev. Dr. John Haynes Holmes pastor of the church of the Messiah, a Unitarian of this city in the course of his remarks said:

"The time has come when another battle like that of fifty years ago must be fought again; when the North must do its duty and save the South again. The negro now more than ever is entitled to his freedom and a battle for liberty must be fought over again."

Dr. Holmes declared the American people "the most lawless of any people in the civilized world." In speaking of lynching he said:

"A little while ago these crimes were confined to the Southern States now no commonwealth from Pennsylvania to Oregon and from Massachusetts to Mississippi is free from the crime of lynching."

ANOTHER RAILROAD?

Such a Project Seems to be Considered and One May Run from Here to River Junction.

Still another railroad for Dothan is talked of. It is said that with the proper encouragement of the people interested, a line will be built from Dothan, via Cottonwood, Malone, Fla., etc. to River Junction. The fact that this territory needs such a road will be clear to anyone who will take the trouble to look at a map, and the scheme is not one of mere "hot air", for one or two real estate deals have already been made on the strength of this project going through.

There is no doubt but that the town needs a road that touches the Chattahoochee river at some point, and the road from here to the river should be controlled by Dothan people, as any branch from freight rates are to be expected. This would be a good town, it looks like.

POSITION WANTED--by young unmarried man as clerk or bookkeeper. Best of references. Write R. W. C. care Eagle. 11Sp2

R. W. Wilkerson, of Columbia, was here today.

W. C. Fielder and son, of Madrid, were visitors to Dothan this afternoon.

WHITFIELD IS FOUND OUT

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 15.--Wilfred Stuart Skelton Dickson, said to be a member of an old English family and for some time prominent in Minneapolis society circles, is in jail tonight charged with stealing from Mrs. Olive Hartell, a society woman, diamonds and other jewelry worth $2,000. Dickson, who has been a lodger at the Hartell home for some time, denies the charge.

According to Mrs. Hartell, who he returned from a reception on Tuesday she placed her jewels in a glove and hid them beneath the pillows of her bed.

"I looked around," said Mrs. Hartell, "and saw Mr. Dickson standing in the doorway. I knew he had seen me putting the jewels away. However, he made some passing remark and walked downstairs."

Dickson for a time was engaged in newspaper and magazine work.

Young Girl Dead, Jealousy is Cause

GAYNEY VS. BAY LINE CASE IN COURT TODAY

The case of Ben Gayney vs. the Atlantic and St. Andrews Bay Railway Company, was set for this afternoon in the circuit court. Gayney is suing the road for damages, on the grounds that he was shot by one of the road's conductors while a passenger on a boy Line train.

As will be remembered here, Gayney, while aboard one of the big Lynn excursion trains one Sunday night while returning from an day's outing at Panama City terrorized a trainload of excursionists when he practically took possession of the entire train, armed with a pocket knife. Men, women and children, according to the statements of those who were present, fled to the woods after the train was stopped and the effort to get Gayney from the train had proven futile. Car after car was cleared as he appeared at the door brandishing his knife, and the officials were unable to stop him until he finally barricaded himself in a toilet room of one of the cars and was shot by Conductor W. J. Collins upon refusing to come out. Witnesses state that the passengers refused to board the train again unless Gayney was removed and at this moment Colonel Collins declared that he would shoot him if he did not get off.

A sheriff of one of the Florida counties was aboard the train but when the railroad officials made an effort to get him to take charge of Gayney, he refused to do so, saying that he would quit his job first.

Gayney is suing the road for $5,000 damages for the wound received when he was shot by Conductor Collins.

BOY OF 13 HANGS SELF

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 15.--Harvey Spears, a 13-year-old boy accidentally hanged himself at Somerville today, while attempting to demonstrate to his brothers how Marion Anderson, the alleged assassin of Pettibone Purdy and Henry of Shelbyville, should be handled when captured. The boy fastened a rein about his neck, tied it to a limb and started to run. He slipped and fell with the result that the strap tightened so his younger brothers could not release him and when his mother came to the rescue the boy was dead.

MARRIED MAN SHOOTS GIRL, THEN TRIES TO END HIS OWN LIFE

Augusta, Ga., Nov. 15.--Consul Lee Pollard, Ed. J. Burrell, a white commercial operative, 45 years old, shot and killed Estelle Helendean, a 16-year old girl in the presence of Mrs. Burrell this morning. Before the girl had time to record the single barreled shotgun and turn the weapon on himself, his wife, though weak and feverish from illness, wrestled with him and prevented him from accomplishing his purpose.

Burrell, his wife and the dead girl and her family lived in the same tenement house. While the girl was in the room with the wife, and just after she prepared breakfast for the Burrells, the husband relied a gun and blew the girl's brains out.

The wife is prostrated and Burrell refuses to talk, although letters found in his pocket state that he loved the girl and was jealous of other men and that he intended to kill her and end his own life.

INSURRECTIONISTS STILL BUSY

Laredo, Tex., Nov. 15.--Regarding the reported movement of Mexican troops between Monterey and Laredo in connection with alleged insurrectionary activity, it was definitely learned today that fifty rurales have gone from Monterey to Lampasas. Rurales have been transferred from Lampasas to Lajarusa, twenty miles south of Laredo. The Laredo garrison has been augmented to seventy man.

PARCELS POST CONDEMNED

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 15.--The Resolution Committee of the Trans-Mississippi Congress tonight went on record against the parcels post. The committee's action will place the question on the floor of the convention. Three attempts by the Colorado delegation to introduce resolutions favoring States' Rights where they concern national resources were downed in the committee.

The Texas delegation was the strongest and most combative opponent of both resolutions.

N. W. Henderson, of Columbia, was in town today.

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THE MECCA PILGRIMAGE

Out on the Tripoli sand plains the Turk, in his unguarded tent, is fighting for something more than the alternating palms and sterile stretch, so that make up the little country. He is fighting for his foothold among the world nations, for his whole future, political and religious.

If he loses in this fight he becomes but a mendicant at the doors of the nations, begging a crust of protection, a draught of tolerance. The dismemberment of his empire which seemed to have reached a standstill, will begin again, and every nation that wants anything he has will take it by grace of a scornful superiority.

If he wins, he will rehabilitate himself to a considerable degree in the respect of the great powers, and will be let alone when quarrels arise.

Turkey triumphant would be Turkey militant, and as a fighter Turkey must always be reckoned with, for a tenet of the popular religion is that the soldiers who die in battle are transported at once to the joys of paradise. It is this belief that makes them so reckless, that gives them that touch of fanaticism which wipes out fear.

Every soldier who bears arms under the crescent has made his pilgrimage to the far-away city of Mecca and sealed his fealty to the prophet with the kiss upon the "black stone" in the wall of the Kaaba which surrounds the Mohammedan holy of holies. This pilgrimage is one of the mandates of Mohammed, and was instituted, with far-seeing wisdom, to hold the members of his faith together.

Situated far down in Arabia, sixty miles from the Red Sea, the city of Mecca is so inaccessible that but for the fanatical belief of the pilgrims it would be left to the drifting winds and the encroaching sands of the not distant desert. But the very difficulty of the journey only enhances its importance and its seeming necessity. Down the long stretches of sand Arabia from Southern Europe, from Western Asia and from Northern Africa there comes the mighty caravan, each human unit of which goes back doubly fired with the fanaticism which teaches "there is but one God, and Mahommed is his prophet." That "prophet" was born in Mecca; this is why the city is held as holy—so holy that a Christian "unbeliever" may not set foot in it alive. The one such visitor who ever successfully invaded its privacy was an Englishman by the name of Burton, and he went disguised as a believer in the dead prophet.

Always when the Mussulman prays he turns his face to that point of the compass under which lies Mecca—Mecca with the "black stone," which in ancient days Gabriel brought from heaven as white as the driven snow, but which was blackened under the kiss of countless thousands of pilgrims. In the ebb and flow of this living, heaving stream there is numbered one-seventh of the human race.

These are the people that Italy is fighting—these devotees bound together by centuries of inherited fanaticism. They know their national life—and there is more of it than appears at first glance—hangs in the balance. A handful of Tripoli's half desert sand may turn the Mohammedan scales to longer life or surer death.—Commercial Appeal.

WHO LIVES FOR 15 CENTS

Two men in Georgia quarreled over 15 cents and both were shot dead.

There can be no protest against calling them fools. The littleness of the amount involved, as measured against life, or even against peace and order, is too striking. Yet if all the men who put their lives up against trivial things were to be called fools there would be a lot of them.

What a host of people are dead or maimed all over this and other lands just because they were plucky or foolish!

Physical courage, commonly so-called, as one of the noblest qualities, may become one of the bars. Like any other virtue, it can become a habit.

An army of good men have been killed in defence of things not worth a thousandth part of the cost. Among them are those who, from habit, a notion of courage, set up in the good of right to face the arrow of death for that it seems to be cowardly and degrade.

There is fine courage in this, to be sure. But there is far finer courage and better sense in quietly suffering the loss of the cockleshell of bauble a trifler may carry off, which are of little value at all when life is gone.

The world has been almost depopulated of its best and bravest men at times by wars over opinions which time has proved not worth holding, let alone dying for.

Either of these Georgians who are now shot to death, would have laughed to scorn the idea of sacrificing his life for so paltry a thing as 15 cents. It was uncontrollable temper and misapplied courage that carried them to their destruction.

The best courage of all is the courage to control one's temper.—Pensacola Journal.

WHY DO JUDGES FEAR RECALL?

Law and order and when interpreters of the law no longer possess the confidence of the people whose servants they are. Why, then, asks the Public, should the people be compelled to have their laws interpreted and expanded by any judge whose competency or integrity they may have learned from his judicial conduct to distrust? What man worthy of a place on the judicial bench would wish to stay there if he had lost the confidence of the people? Yet judges talk as if the recall would destroy the independence of worthy judges, the Public goes on to say. A judge whose independence is so fragile a possession that it cannot endure the publicity of a popular vote of confidence or no confidence is a judge without independence. By nothing else could the independence of any public servant be better tested, raising him to higher levels of public confidence if it stands the test, than by the recall. To be removed by recall would indeed be humiliating, and the people might sometimes make sad mistakes in their rulings, even as judges often do; but for any judge to give such general satisfaction that a recall petition cannot be secured is to be honored, and to be retained by a vote of confidence at a recall election is to be exhalted. It is not humiliation alone that is involved in the recall, if judges are even approximately as good as some of them say they are, or as independent as some of them profess to be.—Emporia Gazette.

A DYING RACE?

Is the American negro a member of a dying race?

The colored population of the past decade increased 11.3 per cent. That increase was just one-half of the white gain. The per cent of increase is not so great as in the decade from 1890 to 1900. The white proportion of the population in America is 90 per cent. It was 87.9 per cent in 1900, and 86.5 per cent thirty years ago.

The lack of increase in the negro population is noticeable on every plantation and in every southern city where a study of the negro is being made. Keepers of stores find that they do not sell as many shoes for negro children as they did formerly.

In the cities the young negroes do not marry. Divorce is a favorite method that negroes have of getting into the courts, but in the old days, while there were many divorces, there were also many marriages.

It is true that the increase in the white population has been greatly accelerated by immigration. Foreigners are also more prolific than Americans for three or four generations.

It is just possible that eliminating that white foreignors the ratio of increase among the white Americans is falling off, but it is a fact that tuberculosis, pneumonia and certain blood diseases are fastening with increasing force on the negro element of the American population.—Commercial Appeal.

ANOTHER NEED

A traveling man who makes this territory, and is familiar with the section, says that Dothan needs a big department store. He says people of this town and territory would give such an institution enough support to make it a paying business. He had noticed already, that the twenty-odd passenger trains coming into Dothan each day, usually a load when they pull up at the station here.

There is no building in Dothan large enough for such sort of a store. In fact we need some bigger store rooms. All of the bigger merchants are crowded, while goods crowded away in boxes, pound displayed, on account of not having enough room.

A building put up for a department store, at least five stories, located anywhere in this town, would become a shopping center as soon as it was known that it carried everything the public wanted. No need to send out of town for merchants to engage in that business, for doubtless the situation could be handled by local people, if they had a suitable house.

Ex-Colonel Bowman in his remarks and ravings about the governor somewhat reminds us of the toothless old lion the circus folks carry along to scare the little children. He opens his mouth and roars a good deal, but those who know him pay no attention to his ravings.

All he has said about the governor may be so. But the fact that he got in bad light and was kicked out, weakens any attack on the party who ousted him.

Bowman cannot pose as a man who was imposed upon. The governor did the right thing in booting him, but his close friendship with the governor might have made the punishment all the more severe.

Bowman is in such bad light with the people, till if he were to make out a pretty good case against the chief executive, no one would pay much attention to him.

HE'S PROBABLY RIGHT

Judging from the number of literary people who have cases in the divorce courts, it would seem that Elbert Hubbard was right when he said that they didn't marry because they loved each other, but to have some one to read their manuscript to.

About the time an author gets over in the six best sellers column, you hear of family differences and affinities.

Money or society are responsible for most of the matrimonial trouble. Too much, or not enough of either, will often start rumors.

There hasn't been a minute since the battleship Maine was blown up in Havana harbor when Buana Tunibo has been as silent as he has during the last three or four months. The reporters never see a good story in him any more, and they have said but little about him since his wife's old plug stumbled and fell with her a few weeks ago, and then they wouldn't have mentioned the event had she not been out riding with her husband.

The Republican party don't seem able to muster but two prospective candidates for the presidency, while the Democrats know good and well that Wilson, Harmon, Clark or Underwood would make good presidents. LaFollette is probably considered the only opposition to Taft, and Taft as good as admits that neither will stand no showing.

About one man in a hundred puts in a full days work. The others may stay around the job, and claim that they are, but they do but little during the day. Do you ever sit down at night and go over the things you have done during the day that are really worth while, and see how few there are?

WHAT IS HE?

Can a man be an ex-colonel? Hall, of the Dothan Eagle seems to think he can.—Opelika News.

He was a colonel, wasn't he?
He is not a colonel now, is he?
Then what is he, if he isn't an ex-colonel?

Everybody expects to do a good deal better another year. If it were not for this hope that the future contained something better, we all might become disgusted and want to quit before our time.

HE JUST BOARED

Booth Tarkington, the Indiana novelist, is being pursued by the lawyers. He is being sued for a divorce, and an automobile victim is also suing.

So far as the school children of this town are concerned, they don't care for any more murders to take place about the building. It detracts little minds from the studies at the time being.

The old horse trader would open the horse's mouth to look at his teeth. The automobile fans turn up the hood and look at the engine. The man with no machine is likely to blow the horn.

Just after the election is over, many men feel like that they will not act the fool so much the next time, but they seldom remember the pledge when the next time comes.

Do some people a kindness and they appreciate it; do kindness to others and they say: "Pitch it in the corner over there—looked like you were never coming!"

No having backbone to say "no" at the right time people are made to do things they are ashamed of, and often lie like they were talking to a tax assessor.

The fact that Yuan Shi Kai fled in disgrace and then returned victoriously, is hardly due to his name. It is just that Chinese history they are making.

The man who thinks he is knocking you isn't; he is advertising the fact that you are getting past him in your undertakings.

Dr. Cook will finally become a public charge, if something is not done to stop him.

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Mrs. Smithers had spoken so tenderly and so often of her son John that Miss French felt that she, the favored recipient of these precious confidences, might even be willing to accept the name of Smithers in exchange for hers, for such perfection and virtue would come with it.

Miss French was passing a few weeks at a health resort. There she had fallen into the company of Mrs. Smithers so much that she felt it was no coincidence when she found Mrs. Smithers seated in her favorite corner sewing or when she went for a walk to the springs and found Mrs. Smithers slowly moving thitherward, to be easily overtaken.

On all such occasions Mrs. Smithers reveled in blissful recollections of novelties in her son's character or in golden dreams of his future.

Miss French listened with a flutter in her bosom. It was not surprising that her previously untouched heart throbbed deliciously when Mrs. Smithers told of the chivalry in her John's nature. Did an act of bravery or heroism reach her ears, never was she at a loss to recall something in John's brief but brilliant career that put the heroism of others completely in the shade. John was a lover of all things noble, of all good and true and upright things, and he abhorred all mean, weak, contemptible natures as thoroughly as he hated deceit and sin.

If a child crossed their paths Mrs. Smithers saw in it, not her own pleasure and love in perfect childhood, but John's. John couldn't see a child on the street without stopping to speak to it. And generous! And kind! And brave! And handsome! Oh, thoughts of John brought tears to his mother's eyes!

So when Mrs. Smithers pressed Miss French's hand tenderly and whispered in a voice trembling with emotion that John was coming to see his dear mother the following week, and that Mrs. Smithers looked forward to the joy of letting Miss French share the delights of his presence, Miss French pressed Mrs. Smithers' hand in return. As she did so she felt a thrill of warmth and happiness cross her heart.

It was most exciting and romantic to think that she was soon to meet a man who was almost, if not quite, perfect.

She listened with something of the mother's own excited intensity for the carriage wheels on the day of John's arrival. The thought even crossed her mind that she ought to express her appreciation to Mrs. Smithers for giving her this great pleasure. She pictured herself as she might be in the future, as a blooming Mrs. Smithers, sheltered and protected by John, the envy of all her friends, the possessor of absolute happiness.

Why did she feel so hopeful? Well, didn't Mrs. Smithers assured her that John was so attached to his mother that he wouldn't dream of falling in love without his mother's sanction?

And hadn't Mrs. Smithers looked the world over in vain for a wife worthy of John—looked until she was almost tempted to admit that there wasn't a girl in the world capable of filling that exalted position? But now— Then Mrs. Smithers had smiled knowingly at Miss French and had nodded her head. Wasn't that reason enough for Miss French to anticipate a perfect future?

When the carriage finally arrived Miss French watched with an intensity that hurt, as each passenger stepped out of it. But when it was finally emptied she sighed a deep, deep sigh of regret.

He hadn't come!

She reached for Mrs. Smithers' hand to comfort the poor mother—but it was gone, and so was Mrs. Smithers.

With outstretched arms Mrs. Smithers was racing down the walk toward a wizened little man with a fast receding bald spot and a propensity for loud talk who was bickering with the driver over the fare and demanding his rights in a high pitched voice that reminded Miss French of a Punch and Judy show. His mother reached John before his transaction was completed and she threw herself into his arms before he was aware of her presence.

"Oh, hello, ma!" he said, casually, but in a penetrating voice. "It was sort of hard to get away—my books didn't balance last night, and I thought I'd have to stay over another day—but I fixed them. Here, ma, you carry this satchel, will you? I'll carry the other one."

Miss French fled precipitately from their path that she might escape the promised introduction. She required time to clear away the debris of her ruined air castles.

Ideal.

"How very few statues there are of real women."

"Yes; it's hard to get them to look right."

"How so?"

"A woman remaining still and saying nothing doesn't seem true to life."

A Damp Proposition.

"Are you here to attend the brewers' convention?"

"No, I am a deep waterways delegate."

SCULPTURE IN BUTTER BY A GEORGIA GIRL

A Savannah dispatch states that visitors from that city to the recent Brooks County Fair at Quitman, are convinced that they have discovered a genius in the person of Miss Lucy Emerson, daughter of H. B. Emerson, a well-to-do farmer of the county. Miss Emerson exhibited several pounds of butter, modeled into a group—a cow and calf recumbent—as perfect and expressive as life itself. The horns of the mother cow, the ears set forward in a listening attitude; the sleeping calf with its ears laid back—even in these details the work was true to life.

The girl was charming when neighbors suggested that she take her butter to the fair. Taking it out of the churn she worked the water out of it and modeled it in thirty minutes. She was awarded first prize.

A number of philanthropic women have arranged to give the girl—she is only 15—a chance to develop her remarkable talent.—Albany Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Myer, of Cuthbert, were here last night and a while this morning.

Mrs. J. V. Harrison returned to Hartford this morning after a visit to the family of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Harris.

FOR CASH ONLY

Owing to a change in the business nothing will be charged hereafter.

Choice market stuff at your order, but send the money or pay on delivery.

tf R. W. HOLMES.

MARTIN & MARTIN
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
First National Bank Building
OZARK AND DOTHAN

SAVANNAH PREPARING TO CARE FOR THE CROWDS

Bureau Has Been Formed With This End In View.

Savannah is making great preparations to take care of the crowds that will come to the races. Naturally the regular hotels and boarding houses could not possibly accommodate the hundreds of thousands who will be on hand, and the bureau of information for the races has arranged a regular clearing house at which visitors can get all the information they want as to other accommodations. Every person in Savannah having spare rooms or other accommodations has been asked to communicate the information to the bureau, which is in charge of Mr. W. H. Flanegan, and he has received word concerning thousands of rooms that will be available for strangers. No one need fear that he will not be taken care of. In addition to these accommodations the railroads and steamship companies have arranged to park their sleeping cars and dock their vessels, so that many can occupy comfortable quarters there during the races. Special and private cars and steamships will be provided with all conveniences. Numerous special trains will be run, and the railroads have made a half rate for the occasion.

Work on Stilts.

Thousands of men in England earn their living during a considerable portion of the year by their ability to walk and work on tall stilts. Most of them are employed in the hop-fields of Kent and other districts, where they have displaced the high stepladders formerly in use. During the pole-stringing season the stilt-walkers, 12 feet from the ground, perform the work with ease and without loss of time or motion. A trained stiltman will do the work of four or five men working with stepladders.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of DECEMBER, A. D., 1886.

SEAL } A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The man who has his automobile cleaned here is always pleased to pay the bill for he has secured FULL VALUE in reports, thoroughly first class work.

Substantial economy is having us take an old suit and redye it another color—you yourself will find it difficult to tell it apart from a new suit.

A-1 work guaranteed.

DOTHAN STEAM LAUNDRY.
TELEPHONE 40.

L. W. Culpepper, of Hartford, was transacting business in the city this morning.

EL HOUSTO

A cigar of exceptional quality, rich, spicy Havana and Porto Rico, with an aroma that floats. Try one at Nix's Drug Store.

DR. E. N. PASSMORE
DENTIST
First Natl. Bank Bldg
Dothan, Ala.

COME TO SOUTH MISSISSIPPI AND OWN YOUR OWN HOME.

Why pay high rental for land when you can purchase better land and pay for it in four years, paying the same amount as you are now paying for rent. We will sell you a farm on terms to suit yourself and will charge no interest on your time payments and we pay all the taxes until the land is paid for and you have your deed.

We have 100,000 acre in South Mississippi only 30 miles from the gulf coast with an altitude of more than 300 feet above the sea level, and none of it is further than five miles from the railroad.

Our large canning factories and truck growing and selling organizations guarantee a sure ready market for all crops grown.

Net results of from $100.00 to $300.00 per acre are common here and you can make more from 1 acre than is usually made from 5 acres growing cotton. We are also in the center of the Pecan and Satsuma orange belt and they grow to a perfection here. If its a home you want, we want to get acquainted, for we are in position to help you.

Our illustrated booklet, maps, etc, will be mailed upon application, which includes testimonials from people who are farming here now.

MISSISSIPPI FARMS COMPANY
WIGGINS, MISS.

Pearson Construction Co
GENERAL CONTRACTORS
Estimates Cheerfully Furnished.
Dothan, : : : : : Alabama

DAVID HARUM SAID
"Them as has gets."
You intend to save, start with us now 4 per cent on savings.
Third National Bank of Dothan

J. S. Faircloth, Pres't. J. L. Crawford, Cashier
W. H. Flowers, V. P. H. G. Forrester, Asst., Cashier

Dothan National Bank
United States Depository.

Capital and Surplus	150,000.00
Stockholders Responsibility	200,000.00
Security to Depositors	$350,000.00

Our twenty years experience here in the banking business and the above funds are a sufficient guarantee for the safety of your deposits.

This bank is under Government supervision and is a depository for the United States Government. Deposits in the Savings Department draw 4 per cent interest.

Mules and Horses
Finest the Market Has

Any time you call at our barn we can show you a select drove of Horses and Mules. We buy right, and sell right.
If you want good stock give us a look.

Whatley Live Stock Company

Dothan Carriage Co
Buggies, Runabouts & Surries.

We sell more buggies--from actual count--than any firm in South-East Alabama. Our record shows that we have sold at retail—not including wholesale—a solid carload of buggies in ONE WEEK.

How Do We Do This?

1st. We and our connections, buy for SIX LARGE STORES. Quanity enables us to buy right.

2nd. We have been in this business (buggies and wagons) for Twenty-five years. Experience has taught us what to buy.

3rd. We have the largest stock to select from, variety giving our customers opportunity to select any style or finish.

4th. We are exclusive dealers in Buggies, Wagons and Harness and in order to eep your future trade, Our Guarantee Is Right.

Wagons.

We sell the "Mitchell" and the "Tennessee," in our judgement the best, based on experience in handling every make and brand of wagons sold in this section.

We have never known of a "Mitchell Wagon" tire having to be Re-Set.

The "Tennessee," although sold at a Less Price, has a Guarantee that alone will sell it.

Harness

We are on the jobbers list in harness, having been placed there by the amount of goods bought, several years ago. This places us in position to sell at wholesale as well as retail. We would be glad to quote merchants prices at any time and guarantee to save them money.

We believe that our Special No. 7 Single Buggy Harness is the best value ever shown in Dothan.

Come to see us in our new quarters and make yourself thoroughly at home whether you want to buy anything or not we will always be glad to see you.

Dothan Carriage Company
Dothan, Ala.

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Beattie's Last Hope Removed by Mann

VIRGINI [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

In the decision [illegible] which [illegible] impartial judge wi[illegible] trial [illegible] conduct of every [illegible] the prisoner [illegible] shown in [illegible] court of [illegible] error

[illegible] guilty of [illegible] fel, deliberate and premeditated [illegible] this young w[illegible] have not the slightest doubt, nor is it insisted that there should be any greater relief offered than the commutation of his sentence to imprisonment for life

"I do not think the affidavits of Paul Beattie printed in the papers or any other evidence or consideration brought to my attention sufficient for that purpose.

"To grant a respite in so plain a case would be to set a precedent would be to imperize with the law and to encourage appeals to the supreme court with the sole purpose of gaining time I believe that the best way to prevent such crimes as this is to punish them adequately, certainly speedily Therefore the judgment of the circuit court of Chesterfield will be carried into effect without interference from me

A Race of Tenors

Generally [illegible] at high altitudes are weaker and more [illegible] than those living in regions [illegible] the supply of oxygen is [illegible] ful Thus in South America, [illegible] the Indians living on the plateaus [illegible] the ranges of the Andes, at an elevation of from 10,000 to 14,000 feet the men have voices like women and the women like children their singing being a shrill monotone The Australian native has a [illegible] voice but a knack of sending it a distance, and the lowest [illegible] African bushmen would come [illegible] same category but, it [illegible] human being [illegible] Africa [illegible] compass, the weakest [illegible] —Harper's Weekly

Wellington [illegible]

When Sir [illegible] was painting the [illegible] him [illegible] wrote [illegible] form [illegible] so! [illegible] the Duke of Wellington [illegible] compliments to Sir [illegible] and begs that he [illegible] him the trousers as he [illegible] —London Sun

Was an Even Start.

"[illegible] you told me to count twenty before I punched at the boy?"

"Yes

"Well [illegible] make it were out right you [illegible] to go around the neighborhood [illegible] promise to count [illegible] before they take a punch at [illegible] —Houston Post

The Large Restaurant

In the Berlin [illegible] garden restaurant the [illegible] 10,000 persons [illegible] month [illegible] terrace [illegible] summer will [illegible] are [illegible] the kitchen staff exceeds

Candid

Man [illegible] bags [illegible] might [illegible] poor, [illegible] —[illegible]

At the Restaurant

"Waiter, why do you recommend everybody to take beef a la mode today?"

"Because sir if it isn't all eaten we shall have it for dinner ourselves"

VANISHED GRANDEUR.

Glories of the Thames Along London Roads Were Markets

[illegible]

WOULDN'T BE TAMED

End of a Wild Stallion That Resented the Touch of Man

In "Mustangs, Hunters and Outlaws of the Great Wild Horse Country in the American Mustang" Julius Stock [illegible] of the capture of a [illegible] that [illegible] Mr Stock

[illegible]

[illegible] Now, I weigh 163, and I am [illegible] horseback as good as ever. I am in first [illegible] at 52 years."

Couldn't Walk!

"I use to be [illegible] with a weakness peculiar to [illegible] Jones of Kenny, Ill "For [illegible] days, without holding my sides. [illegible] but I grew worse. Finally, [illegible] for my complaint I was so [illegible] Now, I weigh 163, and I am [illegible] horseback as good as ever. I am in first [illegible] at 52 years."

TAKE **CARDUI** The Woman's Tonic

We have thousands of such letters, and more are arriving daily. Such earnest testimony from those who have tried it, surely proves the great value of this vegetable, tonic medicine, for women.

Cardui relieves women's sufferings, and builds weak women up to health and strength. If you are a woman, give it a trial. It should help you, for it has helped a million others. It is made from pure, harmless, herb ingredients, which act promptly and surely on the womanly organs. It is a good tonic. Try it! Your druggist sells it.

Write to Ladies' Advisory Dept. Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free. J 80

Without the best in groceries your cooking cannot be a success. The good workingman never attempts to build with deft [illegible] or bad material. He is too proud of his work.

So, with the successful cook. Only the finest groceries can bring satisfaction. We sell that kind. Successful cooks are our best patrons.

Rolands

Your Grocer

FIRST NATIONAL BANK of Dothan

UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY

Capital Stock [illegible] $250,000.00
Surplus [illegible] 250,000.00
Surplus [illegible] 50,000.00

Total [illegible] $550,000.00

The largest bank in Southeast Alabama Your business solicited. Courteous treatment extended

D C Carmichael, President E R Malone, Vice President
G H Malone, Cashier, Robt Boyd, Assistant Cashier

The wise man buys the Weber. It's the wagon that always gives satisfaction. It's the one quality wagon that can be absolutely depended on to fill every requirement. For sixty five years Weber wagons have given satisfaction Won't you investigate this wagon Learn why it is to your advantage to use it! If you will call, we will explain its many merits and the many features in which it excels. It would be a wise idea to get descriptive literature concerning this wagon. It will take only a few minutes of your time, and you will be taking the first step in saving yourself wagon repair bills. Call today—don't put it off.

John Sanders & Company

Dothan Business Directory

Below can be found a business directory of Dothan, which will be added to and corrected from time to time. This will appear in every issue of the Daily Eagle and Weekly Eagle till the first of January, 1912, and should be of benefit to the out-of-town customers who are not familiar with the various businesses and locations in the city.

AUTOMOBILES

FORD AGENCY
W H Tennille, Manager
South Oates Street

F M F "30 —MANDELS "20"
Dothan Carriage Company
Agents E Main St

BICYCLES

F C CUMBIE
Wholesale and Retail
Bicycles, Motorcycles, Sundries and Repairing
109 S N Andrews St.

CAFES

[illegible] CAFE
Ladies and Gentlemen
Meals any Style
[illegible] South Foster St

JEFF'S CAFE
French chef and the best the market affords N Foster St

JONES CAFE
You get a good meal here any day for 35c

DRUGS

NYHRO COMPANY
Drugs Toilet Articles Bank Books
Kodaks
North Foster St

GROCERIES

A D [illegible] GROCERY CO
We cater to the fancy retail trade Special attention to out of town orders Phone 63

TIN WORK

W M LOUIS
Sheet Metal Worker Guttering of all kinds Phone 301

LAWYERS

M H BYRD
Attorney at Law
Farmer Building

HERBERT R McCLINTOCK
Attorney and Counsellor at Law
Farmer Building

INSURANCE

L G BIGGERS
Fire, Life, Accident and Health Ins.
Phone 428

A F GARNER
Fire, Life and Accident Insurance
Dothan Natl Bank Bldg

DELL & SMITH
Real Estate and Insurance
Farm Lands, Manufacturers Sites
City and Suburban Property
First Natl Bank Bldg

MAY INSURANCE AGENCY
Life Insurance up to 80 years old
Life Insurance any kind
Farmer Building

MUTUAL PROTECTIVE ASSOC'N
[illegible] General Manager
Insurance at Cost
[illegible] Company Office in Farmer and [illegible] Building

Old Line
FIRE and CASUALTY INSURANCE
The Empire Life
The U S Health and Accident
GRIFFITH AGENCY
[illegible]

PHOTOGRAPHER

E H MACKEY
Fine Photographs a Specialty
North Foster Street

REAL ESTATE

DOTHAN LAND & DEVELOPMENT COMPANY
City Property and Farm Lands
Phone 428

D J WILLIAMS
Farms or City Property
Best attention to buying and selling
Office over Journal office

C S TUTWILER
Real Estate and Farm Loans
Special attention to renting city property and farms

CONTRACTORS

J W BAUGHMAN
Contractor and Builder
Phone 213

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RECEIVE PARDON

NOTED ROBBER NOW HIGH IN CHURCH CIRCLES OF PRISON

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 15.—Al-[illegible] Driscoll, one of the most dangerous safe blowers who ever set foot on Alabama soil, one of the two who blew the Hirscher Brothers' [illegible] Montgomery seven and a half years ago, has been recommended for parole by two of the three members of the state pardoning board. Clemency for the convict is favored by Secretary of State Cyrus B. Brown and State Auditor C. Brooks Smith, while Attorney General R. C. Brickell dissents from the views of the majority, declaring that he cannot concur in the endorsement.

Driscoll and a man by the name of Russell cracked the safe of Hirscher Brothers on a cold, dreary December night in Montgomery, following the performance of Viola Allen in this city. Miss Allen had a packed house at the Old Montgomery Theatre, which Hirscher Brothers managed, and the proceeds of the evening, amounting to several thousand dollars, were deposited in the safe of Hirscher Brothers on Dexter avenue, for the night. Between midnight and dawn the robbery was committed.

Both Leave City Hurriedly

The yeggmen left Montgomery hastily and were captured a day or two later in Mobile by Police Chief Taylor. They were brought back here and imprisoned in a steel cage pending trial. They had nearly sawed out from this cage and were almost ready to effect an escape when they were discovered and placed in more secure cells.

On the trial of Driscoll, Russell, who was used as a witness, was corralled in the witness chamber with other witnesses, and made a daring dash for liberty from the window of the room. In jumping to the ground he struck a coping of the building, thereby deflecting his course. His leg was broken when he struck the ground and he was re-captured. Driscoll was convicted and given twenty years and soon thereafter Russell was tried, being brought into court on a cot.

Driscoll Now Church Leader

Both men were committed to the mines, Driscoll being set to Flat Top near Birmingham, where he has become a religious celebrity. From all appearances, he has been trying hard to reform and has been a leader for a number of years in the church among the convicts at the camp. It is also stated that he has taken up stenography and has, during spare time, equipped himself to lead a better and more fruitful life. Although formerly a bad man, his endeavors have appealed to prison officials and the chaplain of the camp. Even Hirscher Brothers, the men who were robbed, recommended mercy to Driscoll.

Several times heretofore Driscoll has applied to the state board for clemency but failed to [illegible] until this week's sitting.

In recommending the pardon of Driscoll, the secretary of state and the auditor says:

"The undersigned members of the board are of the opinion that this applicant should be paroled and we so recommend. He based this opinion upon the recommendation of the trial solicitor, the excellent conduct of the prisoner for the past four years and the recommendations he has from prison officials, chaplain and state mine inspectors. The jury as will appear from the file, recommended that he be punished not exceeding five years. The person whose safe was robbed petitions for clemency.

"We are of the opinion that he has been sufficiently punished and that the ends of justice have been met."

DOTHAN LODGE NO. 1153

B. P. O. E.

Regular meeting first and third Thursday nights in each month. All members are requested to be present, and all visiting brethren are given a most cordial invitation to be present.

J. S. Lisenby, Sec.

Famous Coffee of 200 Years Ago

Over a century ago the old French Market at New Orleans was famed for its delicious coffee. It was quite different from the ordinary coffee of today. People were accustomed to visit the French Market and drink cup after cup of the delicious beverage. Andrew Jackson, Henry Clay and other famous men praised this rare old French Blend. Beautiful women of New Orleans enjoyed it at the close of the Mardi Gras balls, and after the daily siesta. *Then* you could obtain

French Market Coffee

only at the French Market in New Orleans. But NOW you all may serve it—daily—at your own tables. For the real old French Market Blend is perpetuated by

The Same Unique Hygienic Roasting Process

No matter where you live you can now obtain this rare old coffee, with all its enticing, natural strength and aroma, for it is packed in hermetically-sealed cans, untouched by human hands.

There is but one genuine "French Market Coffee"—only one French Market Flavor. No wonder the secret of its blend and roast was guarded so carefully for so many years.

Order from your Grocer—TODAY.

Genuine "French Market Coffee"—the coffee with a history—is roasted and packed *only* at the

French Market Mills

(New Orleans Coffee Co., Ltd., Proprietors)

New Orleans, La.

FREE RUNS TO SAVANNAH RACES WILL BE GIVEN

Jackson Argus and Other Papers Get in the Game.

Savannah.—As an evidence of the great amount of interest being taken throughout the state in the coming Grand Prize, Vanderbilt and light car races at Savannah during Thanksgiving week, nothing is more convincing than the action of a number of Georgia papers in promoting "free runs" to the races. The Jackson Argus was probably the first weekly paper in the state to inaugurate these contests, under the conditions of which trips to the races are given in return for subscriptions, the persons sending in the largest number of subscriptions in each militia district being awarded an automobile trip to the races, with all expenses paid. The arrangement has proven a splendid thing for the publishers, and will probably serve to increase the attendance on the races. It is certain that the crowds will be larger than ever before and that the events will be the greatest ever held in the history of automobile racing.

"If at First—"

"Jules Vedrines lost to Conneau the Daily Mail prize of $30,000," said a member of the New York aero club, "but Vedrines will win some splendid prizes yet. He's not the man to be discouraged by a failure or two. At a luncheon at the Savoy in London, a day or two after the Daily Mail contest, Vedrines said: "Failure acts on me like a tonic. It spurs me on to harder work." "Then, with a smile, he added: "'Success, after all, is only failure with a better motor and a new chassis.'"

OYSTERS

We are prepared to serve you with the finest lot of oysters that have been shipped to Dothan this season. Send or phone your orders in and they will have our prompt attention.

tf Enterprise Market.

GIRL FRIGHTENS A BURGLAR

Ordered to Get Money, Little Lady Leaves Room and Pretends to Telephone to Police Station.

Stockton, Cal.—That a large quantity of silverware and jewelry is still at the home of Ernest E. Smith is wholly due to the courage and resourcefulness of his fourteen-year-old daughter, Mildred. The other night Mildred was left alone to care for the smaller children.

Hearing a noise, the girl thought it was one of her sisters and told her to wait a moment while she lighted the gas.

As she stepped down, she was confronted by a man, who demanded money.

Mildred told him to wait a moment and went into the next room. After a brief delay she called out loud enough so the burglar could hear, Hello! Is this the police station?"

The burglar heard the girl and, thinking she was telephoning, rushed out of the house. The Smiths have no telephone and the girl merely worked a clever ruse to get rid of him.

New Art Fake Discovered.

Paris.—Another art fake has been revealed here. This time it is the bed of Louis XIV, at Versailles palace, on which was the name of the furniture firm, "Grand Freres." It has been discovered that this firm was founded in 1810. Louis XIV. died in 1715.

Hand Painted China

We have just received a large shipment of the highest grade of **Hand Painted China**—in all designs—this we guarantee you cannot duplicate for the same prices as we quote. We are receiving large qualities of Holiday Goods, which we will be delighted to show you at anytime.

We buy our entire line at close prices and **Guarantee Our Prices** are right. You cannot duplicate the same goods elsewhere.

Saxon & Heard

Jewelers

116 N. Foster. Dothan, Ala.

A nice home near Rose Hill school with large lot and all modern conveniences that I can give you at a bargain and on very easy terms, also nice new home on [illegible] street.

A nice 5 room house near high school [illegible] and large lot for [illegible]

A number of small and large farms for sale at reasonable prices and on easy terms.

Have several small farms to rent which are well located, will rent either for standing rent or on shares.

C. S. TUTWILER,
Office Phone 497

FOR RENT—Front room, close in. Apply to this office. tf

WANTED—Small iron safe. Inside measurements about 18x30 inches. Apply P. O. Box 437. 116

CATTLE AND HIDES

We pay spot cash and high price for fat cattle—Write or phone us what you have to sell.

—HIDES—

We buy all kinds, green or dry—Bring or Ship—by Freight or Express, you will get your money by return mail.

B. W. Clendinen & Co.

125 N. St. Andrews St.

Dothan, Alabama

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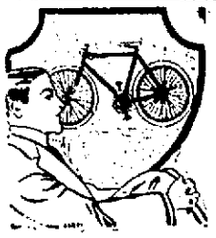
at A. C. L. depot. The six upstairs rooms will pay rent on place. Apply to L. O. Higgers, phone 438 or 515. tod tf2.

[illegible] corner Powell and [illegible] the money. Apply [illegible] J. A. Howdeshell Bldg., Montgomery, Ala. [illegible]

JUST THE THING FOR A XMAS PRESENT

I HAVE JUST RECEIVED a large shipment of the celebrated—

FOR SALE—THE LE BICYCLE



long recognized as the best child's bicycle on the market, and am selling them at very attractive prices. . .

Have these in all sizes both boys and girls.

Come in and let me reserve what you will need for Santa Claus. These are made by the well known Pope Mfg. Co., who make the famous Columbia and Sterling bicycles for grown ups. I have the largest stock of bicycles and bicycle sundries ever brought to S. E. Alabama, and buying in such large quantities, am prepared to save you money on anything you may want in this line.

. C. CUMBIE

"The Bicycle Man."

Phone 122. Dothan, Ala.

Clothes for all the Boys

While you are buying a suit or an overcoat for yourself, don't forget the boys at home, or in school. They should come in for their new fall suits and overcoats, and it is no trouble for us to fit them, from the oldest to the youngest, in clothes that have all the snap and dash the young bloods so much desire.

I will surprise you too, at the reasonable prices we put upon these clothes.

Grant Clothing Co.

Clothers and Haberdashers

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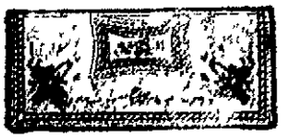
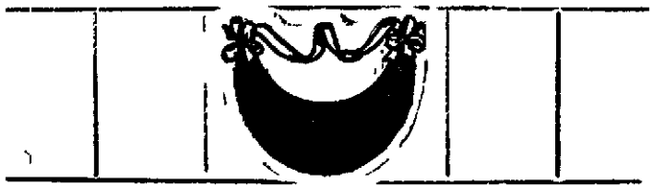
Royal Society Stamped Packages



Royal Society Floss

Christmas--is only six weeks off. Begin preparations now. Start with Royal Society Packages, for the designs and tints excel all others.

Nothing as acceptable as some article done by your own hands. Nothing so pretty as one of the Royal Society Pieces unfinished.



They Are Modestly Priced Too

Saxon-Heard-Williams Co.
CORRECT DRESS FOR WOMEN

SUCCESS AND FAILURE

Good Advertising Means More Than Newspaper Publicity—Drones and Workers

As a rule if a newspaper prints a talk on advertising the reader takes it for granted the newspaper is boosting its own wares in advertising space. Newspaper advertising, although the most far reaching, is not the only successful means of advertising and the subject of advertising men's business can be profitably discussed without laying too much stress on the news papers as the proper medium.

Over 50 per cent of the businesses started in this country fail. This assertion may seem astounding but look back over the history of nearly any city for the past five years. As you go down the street try to remember what business occupied this and that room a few years ago. You will be astonished by the results of your investigation.

Of the business establishments that manage to survive only about half are really profitable businesses. This does not mean that business men are rich. It simply means that business men like those of all other callings are divided into two classes the drones and the workers. The workers place is known throughout the country whereas the drones place of business is known to only a few friends of the owner. The live business man has a neat display window well lighted and keeps the freshest stock on display there. When you come inside the door you will find everything neat. It does not cost money to keep the place looking spick and span—just a little work. When he shows you his stock you are convinced that his window display and his newspaper assertions have not lied to you and you trust him. Also his service is of the best. His clerks are well dressed and courteous. He pays them good salaries for he can afford to do so. You see this merchant's name on billboards throughout the county he sends you a letter every now and then calling attention to his stock in trade and every day he tells you his story in a neat looking newspaper advertisement.

The drone, on the other hand, although he may be able to make a living records no growth in his business as the years go on. His display window is dusty and the goods he displays have been seen there for months. His store is dark and has hardly enough business to keep one clerk active. Outside the name on the front, you know nothing about his business. He may have many things that you want but he has never told you so for advertising costs too much hence he has not got your trade and has but little chance of getting it. He may spend a dollar or two now and then on a newspaper ad but if his store is not filled with customers the next day he tells you that he can see no good in advertising.

John Wanamaker took in $24 67 on his first day in business. He kept the 67 cents and spent the balance in advertising the next day. Wanamaker was no reckless schemer. He simply had enough business acumen to realize that you cannot get business without publicity.

Early Rising.

It is a foregone conclusion that society during the coming season will find itself up and doing at a much earlier hour than has been the case for many a long year. Early rising has not been much practiced of recent times but where the English court leads others follow. The king's morning canter in the row is evidently to be made fashionable again, and royal rides early. If society rides before breakfast it may issue invitations to that meal and thus establish or rather revive, another form of entertainment.—London Mail.

Dearborn—[illegible] stirring that also [illegible] and my wife down [illegible] get it.—London Herald.

Is Fast.

"Did Jerry ever tell you the joke when he made his operation bottle [illegible] their wrath?"

"Yes. It is a cracking story. [illegible] more timeworn."

Not In Use There.

For a college graduate you seem to know much lower than [illegible]

"Why I was president of a college veterinary surgery."—Chicago Tribune.

Tips About.

[illegible] tell him [illegible] you that you [illegible]—Puck.

AUTOMOBILE RACES

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Nov. 27—30

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New York— [illegible] discovery made by Bu[illegible] [illegible] the flea po[illegible] Murray Hill [illegible] Recently the animals [illegible] vacuum cleaner to [illegible] household equipment. After [illegible] the [illegible] out of her rugs she [illegible] the [illegible] playfully to the [illegible] "Street Buster" [illegible] finding no [illegible] followed [illegible] still while receiving a [illegible] cleansing.

When the vacuum cleaner was brought into use a few days [illegible] "Fifer" promptly ran to the nearest [illegible] and purring [illegible] It is [illegible] received another going over. When the [illegible] was applied several fleas were seen struggling with the debris in the [illegible]. It was observed that the [illegible] was less annoyed by his tiny [illegible] than formerly and it became [illegible] dent he attributed his relief to the vacuum cleaner.

News of the new flea [illegible] spread among [illegible] owners of pet animals, and the [illegible] of the weapon was turned on many dogs and cats. At the end of the onslaught the contents of the [illegible] were turned. Hedges which had [illegible] to show the effects of [illegible] service as back scratchers [illegible] beginning to thrive again [illegible] pet animals in the Murray Hill [illegible] of flurbing expect to pass the [illegible] days very comfortably.

Shining a Freak

A com[illegible] remarkable thing occurred [illegible] King's county Ireland during [illegible] thunderstorm. While Miss Julia Browne was sitting near the door of her house preparing to give up some crochet work at which she had been engaged, a flash of light ning sent the needle flying across the kitchen out of her hand, while the girl herself was uninjured.

Open Country

[illegible] worn out by the noise and [illegible] life of the city or town [illegible] restoring the balance of temper and optimism by running away for a quiet day in the country. [illegible] carefully [illegible] kept in [illegible] will never [illegible] under one arm [illegible] under the other a [illegible] conductor to let you off [illegible] side of a stream [illegible] a true child of nature [illegible] wader treading the [illegible] when the land was young [illegible] appointment with the dryads [illegible] the possibility of a new [illegible] carpet just to lay and dream in the sunspotted shade for summer is here and is willing to give of her store of plenty to a frayed and edge worn world. One day out in the open is worth a whole course of treatment by a nerve specialist.

Old Italian Test

An old Italian test is to put a silver coin in the boiling pot of mushrooms and if the silver turns black it is some poison. There is no safe rule to tell the harmless fungi. Some of the deadliest are of common growth. Another very curious thing is that wholesome mushrooms are liable to absorb poisons from the place where they grow—such poisons as paris green, foul ore poison or rotting meat poison. Perhaps there has been no greater piece of exaggeration worked off on the public than long box shots on the world's riches in mushrooms. Fungi are not easily digested—this is due to their cellulose or woody frame work and to shrinkage and hardening in cooking. On this account the pain which they so often cause is often mistaken for poison and the doctor is called whip and spur to relieve a mere mushroom indigestion.

ADVERTISING IN ENGLAND

Does Not Produce the Results Obtained In This Country—Rates Are High

A. D. Lasker, managing director of the Lord & Thomas agency of Chicago who arrived in New York recently from England where he has spent some time in studying advertising conditions has this to say about the situation:

Advertising in England has not shown sufficiently profitable returns to warrant a greater outlay for publicity that is now spent and the newspapers of course are as great losers by this lack of understanding as the advertisers themselves.

If English producers and merchants would adopt similar methods to the American and pay the prices to first class new advertising would quickly tell a different story. [illegible] that advertising rates are [illegible] the right [illegible] the profitable. Profitable advertising would increase if [illegible] advertising would bring down the rates.

I believe that newspapers take the best medium for publicity of all kinds because they reach a wider field and results [illegible] over [illegible] newspapers [illegible] certain supervision over the advertising columns and [illegible] that may be fraudulent [illegible].

Our Current Age

Joe Mitchell [illegible] the magazine editor said [illegible] after dinner speech:

"[illegible] we try to [illegible] but [illegible] they become [illegible] the poor Whistler.

When Whistler was living in the Latin quarter in his youth a friend took him to task one day for his debtors.

"Why don't you pitch in and pay something," said the friend. "As soon as your money will be all gone and those three rolls of canvas will be stacked empty there behind the door just as they've been standing for the last six weeks."

Whistler raised his lazy on the bed and replied: "I'm pipe answered lazily. "I can see no [illegible] as there's not [illegible] on the [illegible] I can sell it."

Girl Champion Snake Killer.

Mary Hooper aged twelve years, of Valley, Pa. is the champion snake killer of that section. She has the skins of twenty five reptiles dispatched already this season, but none of them so large as the blacksnake she killed after a battle—five feet seven inches.

It's hard to imagine anything in the way of good shoes that you can't find in this store.

Smart autumn and fall models for men, especially selected with your needs in view—the finest shoes Selz makes. Better shoes for the money can't be bought. There is great advantage in buying shoes here, no poor ones, all good, all Selz, all at right prices.

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